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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the claims as follows, prior to calculating the filing fees due:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 4-8, 10, and 12-14 as follows:

4 (amended). A bacteriophage as claimed in claim 1 which is a modified filamentous bacteriophage.

5 (amended). A bacteriophage as claimed in claim 1 which is a modified M13 bacteriophage.

6 (amended). A bacteriophage as claimed in claim 1 wherein said first component of said recombinant protein is derived from the protein responsible for adsorption of the unmodified form of said bacteriophage to bacterial pili.

7 (amended). A bacteriophage as claimed in claim 1 wherein said second component of said recombinant protein comprises a ScFv polypeptide.